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Dear Sir:

This is a request for filing a continuation divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(d), of pending prior application serial no. 09/281,674 filed on March 30, 1999, entitled Methods For Regulating Gene Expression which was filed by the following named inventor(s).

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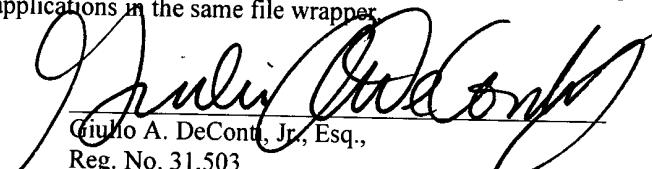
11. A request for a five month extension of time has been submitted in the parent application, Serial No. 09/281,674, in order to establish copendency with the present application (a copy of the request for extension is enclosed).
12. Also enclosed:
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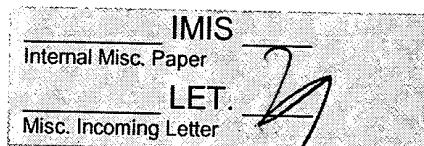

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APPENDIX
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Claim

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Computer Program Listing

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All CRF Papers for Backfile

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FWCLM	File Wrapper Claim
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SRNT	Evidence Copy Box Identification
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